## Special Notice 11-SN-0011

Description: NOTICE OF INTENT TO AWARD A SOLE SOURCE

The Office of Naval Research (ONR) intends to issue a fixed price award to a single source under the authority of FAR 13.106-1 (b) on or about 28 March 2011 to Woods Hole Oceanographic Institution of Woods Hole, Massachusetts (Woods Hole) to support Phase II of the Ocean Class AGOR (OC AGOR) acquisition process. Woods Hole was selected as the future operator of the AGOR 27 vessel through a competitive-merit-based process under ONR Announcement number 09AGOR 27-28. As the future operator of AGOR 27, responsible for the overall management of operations, maintenance, crewing and logistics for the vessel, Woods Hole is uniquely qualified to participate in the evaluation of AGOR 27-28 shipbuilding proposals received by PEO (Ships). The value of the purchase order is under \$25,000. The period of performance will be two weeks with a one-week option period. This notice of intent is not a request for competitive proposals; however, all responsible sources may submit a quotation which, if received within ten calendar days of publication of this notice, shall be considered by ONR. A determination by the Government not to open the requirement to competition based upon the responses to this notice is solely within the discretion of the Government.

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